

LAST EDITION.

AGENTS.....

Who are busting men
should always
READ THE WANTS.

Therein are chances now and
then which seldom come again.

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ERRAND BOYS...

Desiring places to display
their rapid pace look with
smiling, happy faces through
the columns of the

.....WANTS.

PRICE IN ST. LOUIS, ONE CENT.
OUTSIDE ST. LOUIS, TWO CENTS.

"Ill Fares the Land to Hastening Ills a Prey" Wherein P.-D. Wants Are Unknown To-Day!

COX AS BAD AS BOSS TWEED.

CINCINNATI'S CORRUPTION AT
LAST DEVELOPING.

TWO MAYORS CLAIM OFFICE.

It is the Beginning of the End in the
Worst Boss-Ridden City Since
Tweed's Halcyn Days.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CINCINNATI, O., May 4.—To-day two
men claim to be Mayor of this city, and a
nasty condition of affairs exists. Each one
has made appointments and gone through
all of the technicalities of office.

Mayor Caldwell's regular term expired
to-day, but he claims the office until July
7, under a special enactment extending the
term. "Boss" Cox took a precaution for
possible defeat by extending the Mayoralty
term to allow Caldwell to reappoint August
Herrmann to the Board of Administration.
The latter Board has control of the new
water-works, for which \$5,000,000 in bonds
have been issued.

Gustav Tafel, Democrat, recently elect-
ed, formally demanded the office of Cald-
well, and upon being refused at once insti-
tuted suit. He declares that the act ex-
tending the term of office is illegal and un-
constitutional.

Caldwell reappointed Herrmann as a mem-
ber of the Board of Administration yester-
day. Tafel appointed Samuel Nieman to
the same office. Mr. Nieman had his bond
approved also and demanded office. He will
await the result of Tafel's suit for the
Mayoralty. The combined Democrats and
anti-gang Republicans are anxious to get
control of the Board of Administration to
get at the different city departments where
it is claimed there is much rottenness.

Health Officer Prendergast is now under
indictment for bribery, and Secretary Whit-
stone of the Water Works Department and
Clerk Ennis are charged with a shortage
of about \$20,000. There are rumors that
many other departments of the city are
short. Cox is on Whetstone's bond. The
Secretary was one of the boss' captains.

Acting Secretary Butterfield of the Water
Works Department and Clerk Thornton of
the same office made another startling dis-
covery this morning. It appears that each
day's receipts are entered on the cash
book, and are then supposed to be turned
over to Whetstone, and he signs the book.
It has been discovered that he has not re-
ceived in that way for the money of three
or four years. Instead he would simply
give the receivers a receipt for each day's
money, say \$5,000 or \$7,000 a day. It has
been discovered that about half of these
receipts are missing. The situation is
this: The receivers can claim that they
paid the money over to Mr. Whetstone,
while on the other hand, he can claim he
never received it. Only a thorough in-
vestigation will reveal the true amount of
the shortage, which may reach into hun-
dreds of thousands.

As the result of the developments the
declaration of Cox that he was for Hanna
for a second term will prove a boomerang
to the Senator, for the power of Cox as a
boss in Cincinnati is doomed, and any man
he may declare for will suffer.

THAT EVERLASTING CODE.

Doctors in the South to Be Tried for
Advertising.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
ATLANTA, Ga., May 4.—Thirteen of the
best-known physicians in the South are to
be tried here by a Medical Board on a
charge of breach of ethics in permitting
their pictures to be printed in the news-
papers. Included in the list are Drs. Nichol-
son, McRae, Pinckney, Calhoun, Noble and
Holmes. The President of the Board of
Health of this city, Dr. Jas. E. Alexander,
is another who has incurred the ire of his
fellow practitioners by his methods. He
has been dismissed from membership in the
State Association on account of having
opened a hygienic institute in this city.

WISCONSIN MAN ROBBED.

He Fell a Victim to Knock-Out Drops
in Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Wm. M. Fore-
man, a railroad man of Madison, Wis., was
a victim of a knock-out drop robbery in the
disreputable quarter of the city last night.
The robbers secured \$75 and a railroad pass
for Foreman and his wife between Wash-
ington and Chicago. His assailants es-
caped.

IOWA EDITORS.

The State Association to Meet at Ex-
celisor Springs, Mo.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., May 4.—The
Iowa editors-State Association—will meet
here Thursday. They will remain in session
Thursday and Friday. Saturday they will
visit Kansas City as the guests of the Com-
mercial Club, returning here in the evening,
where they will remain over Sunday.

JONES—PULITZER.

The Supreme Court Overrules the Mo-
tion for a Rehearing of the
Celebrated Case.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 4.—The
Supreme Court en banc to-day overruled
the motion for a rehearing in the case of
Col. Charles H. Jones vs. Williams et al.,
which involved the control of the Post-Dis-
patch.

The decision of the Supreme Court in
favor of Col. Jones was rendered on Jan.
6, 1897. The decision was written by Justice
Macfarlane and was concurred in by Jus-
tices Barclay, Brace and Ganitt. Justices
Sherwood and Robinson dissented. The de-
fendants filed a motion for a rehearing, and
that motion, which has been pending for
nearly four months, was overruled to-day. A
dissenting opinion was filed by Justices
Sherwood and Robinson. It contains fifty-
seven closely written pages and makes a
thorough review of the case in opposition to
the opinion of the court.

This ends the case, and Col. Jones' vic-
tory is final and complete. He won in every
court to which the case was submitted. The
overruling of the motion for a rehearing is
the final step in a litigation that has lasted
one and one-half years.

Chronology of the Case.

The petition for preliminary injunction
was filed in Judge John M. Wood's (Circuit)
Court, No. 6, Sept. 21, 1895. Judge Wood
issued a temporary restraining order and
the hearing on the injunction was set for
Sept. 30.

On Sept. 30 defendants filed their answer
to the petition, and the argument began,
continuing three days. Oct. 4 the papers
were submitted and the case taken under
advisement.

Preliminary injunction granted by Judge
Wood Oct. 10. The error for the injunction
was read in court Oct. 12. The defendants
tried to have the hearing on the injunction
before Judge Klein.

Oct. 14 Judge Klein ruled that the motion
to dissolve must come up in general term
and at a conference of the Circuit Court
Judges it was decided that it should be tried
in Judge Wood's court.

Change of venue to Judge Vallant's court,
No. 5, was granted by Judge Wood on Oct.
24.

Nov. 20, Mr. Pulitzer's depositions were
taken at his house in New York. Gen.
J. M. Lewis going there to represent Col.
Jones.

The case came up for final hearing be-
fore Judge Vallant Jan. 6, 1896, the hear-
ing of the evidence occupying eight days
and the arguments of counsel two more
days.

Feb. 17, 1896, Judge Vallant handed down
his decision in favor of Col. Jones. Decree
finally entered Feb. 20.

March 18, defendants took an appeal to
the Supreme Court.

April 14, defendants filed a motion to ad-
vance the case. Case finally advanced to
Oct. 1.

Oct. 1, appeal argued before Supreme
Court en banc.

Jan. 6, 1897, State Supreme Court handed
down its decision affirming the decree of
the Circuit Court.

May 4, 1897, the Supreme Court en banc
overruled the defendants' motion for a re-
hearing.

MAMIE DYER ON THE STAND.

TOLD HOW MRS. MARY L. HILL
CALLED ON HER.

TEN YEARS A WORKING GIRL.

The Young Woman Who Wants Dam-
ages From an Irate Wife
Says Her Say.

"The woman in black" was strongly in
evidence in Judge Filcraft's court room
Tuesday when the \$20,000 damage suit of
Miss Mamie Dyer against Mrs. Mary Hill,
wife of the late manager of the New York
Life Insurance Co. of Missouri, was called.

Mrs. Hill appeared in court for the first
time. She was accompanied by her sister
and Mr. Hill's two nieces.

They were all dressed in black. There was
a touch of color in Mrs. Hill's bonnet and
a gold comb fastened a yellow veil that was
draped about her silvery hair. Her ap-
pearance was stylish, her manner unusually
composed.

During the progress of the trial Mrs. Hill
compared notes with her sister, who is al-
most her counterpart. They fanned them-
selves occasionally. Their fans were black.
Miss Dyer kept up the prevailing color
tone. She wore a well-fitting tailor-made
gown of black serge and a soft derby of like
color. The only color relief was a white col-
lar and necktie.

Her witnesses, Mrs. M. J. McConnell, Miss
Emma Thomas and Miss Pauline C. R.
Stone, like her, were gowned in black.

Mrs. Arthur Roselle, who is a bride, broke
the rule of sombre attire with a tailor-
made costume of blue serge.

The audience was small, considering the
prominence of one of the parties and the
notoriety of the case.

Her jury the issues of law and fact and
what constituted mitigating circumstances.
He put an entirely different phase on the
case from his point of view and threw a
few sidelights on the relations between Mr.
Hill and Miss Dyer. He told of a trip Mr.
Hill and Miss Dyer had made to Mexico,
Mr. and Mrs. Hill had come out
buggy riding together during Mrs. Hill's
absence from the city. In Mrs. Hill's buggy
behind Mrs. Hill's horse and followed by
Mrs. Hill's dog. All these things, Mr.
Johnson said, were known by Mrs. Hill
when she made the trip to Miss Dyer's
house. The scene in Mr. Hill's office when
his wife captured the letters and the subse-
quent affair at Miss Dyer's were told ac-
cording to the standpoint of the defense.
Mrs. Johnson's endeavor was to show that
if Mrs. Hill had said harsh things to Miss
Maudie McConnell, a 13-year-old miss, who
let Mrs. Hill into the house on Sunday
morning, Dec. 6, she mixed things by say-
ing she saw Mr. Hill get out of the buggy
in which Mrs. Hill was sitting. This was
a new version, as Mr. Hill was supposed to
have preceded his wife to the house, but
Maudie stuck to her story and refused to
be rattled.

Miss Dyer was the second witness. She
gave her testimony coolly in a steady
voice. She gave her name and address and
said she kept house at 1338 Plymouth ave-
nue for a colony of business women.

"What kind of business?" queried At-
torney Young.

"Literary, I guess. One of them was a
typewriter."

Miss Dyer then told the story of her
business career. Ten years ago she started
to clerk for her brother in the little town
of Farland, Kan. Then she went to college
for a year and following that became cash-
ier of the Mercantile bank of White &
Co., at Wichita, Kan. She remained with
them for three years and left to study
 stenography.

After finishing her studies she went in
April, 1882, to Denver where she took charge
of an agency for the Singer Manufacturing
Company. After a year they transferred her
to Omaha. She gave up the business and
came to St. Louis where she got em-
ployment as traveling saleslady through
Central Missouri for the Grosley-Burns
Grocery Co., stayed with the firm
when it became the Scudder-Gale Grocer
Co., and finally went to the James M. Hous-
ton Grocer Co. Giving up the grocery busi-
ness on account of the hardship of travel,
she contracted with the New York Life In-
surance Co., on April 1, 1886.

She remained with the company until
her health failed, then she took the position
of housekeeper at 1338 Plymouth avenue.
"Well, what happened Sunday morning,
Dec. 6?"

"The first thing I knew somebody knocked
at my door. I asked who was there. She
answered, 'Mrs. William L. Hill.' I told her
she could not come in; to step down in the
parlor until I had dressed. She placed her
weight against the door and forced it
open. When she broke into the room she said,
'You are a strumpet. It's women like you

that ruin men.' She then came into the
room and threw a bundle of letters at me.
I picked them up and saw they were from
my husband. I then saw that she had been
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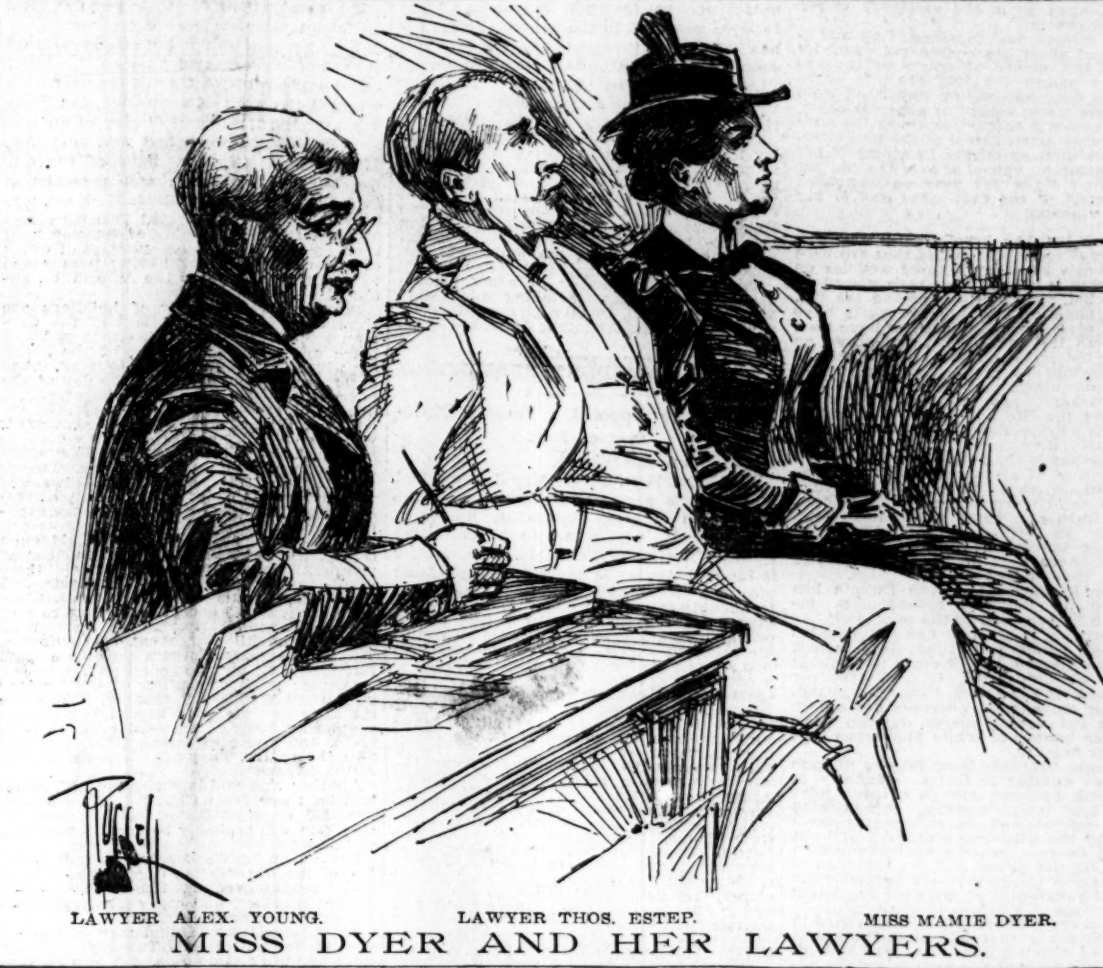
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LAWYER ALEX. YOUNG. LAWYER THOS. ESTER. MISS MAMIE DYER.

MISS DYER AND HER LAWYERS.

Two men who
robbed women.

JAMES CONNOLLY AND WILLIAM
WALTERS IDENTIFIED.

MISS ENNIS' EXPERIENCE.

She Was One of Four Women Held Up
by Two Men in a
Buggy.

William Walters and James Connolly have
been identified as the men who committed
four daylight robberies. All of their vic-
tims were women and their prizes were
pocket-books.

They have been identified as the two men
who committed the mysterious robbery at
Laclede avenue and Sarah street Sunday,
about which the Seventh District Police
knew nothing until the Post-Dispatch
forced it to their attention Monday.

Miss Mary Ennis of 125 South Compton
avenue appeared at the Four Courts Tues-
day and procured a warrant charging the
two prisoners with highway robbery and
told of her exciting encounter with the
thieves.

She was walking along Laclede avenue
Sunday at 3.30 p. m. with her 7-year-old
niece, Agnes Ennis, and near Sarah street
noticed the approach of the two men, both
with their hats down over their eyes. One
was in a buggy, driving close to the curb,
while the other was on the sidewalk.

She suspected something was wrong
about the men, but before she could formu-
late a plan of retreat the man on the side-
walk, whom she has since identified as Con-
nolly, grabbed at the purse she carried in
her hand.

She screamed and held to the purse, but
he wrested it from her.

Then he caught sight of the large sol-
itaire diamond ring on her finger and he
grabbed for her hand. He caught it and
was attempting to pull the ring from the
finger when a man came running towards
them from around Sarah street.

Miss Ennis fought persistently and
screamed, while Little Agnes tugged at the
skirts of her aunt and jumped up and
down on the sidewalk, screaming.

The man in the buggy yelled to Connolly
to get in the buggy quickly, as some one
was coming. Connolly released the young
woman and joined his companion in the
buggy. They drove rapidly down Laclede
The purse they secured from Miss Ennis
contained \$2.40.

A half hour later the same men stopped
at Jefferson avenue and Caroline street and
Connolly jumped out. He rushed up to
Miss Mamie Thompson of 143 South Seventh
street, who was crossing Jefferson avenue,
and grabbed her purse containing about 20
cents. There were at least twenty persons
near by and all of them saw the robbery,
but it was accomplished so quickly that the
robber got back in the buggy and they
drove away before any one could reach
them.

Warrants were issued Monday, charging
Connolly and Walters with robbing Miss
Ennis.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
MATTEAWAN, N. Y., May 4.—The wife
of John Higgs, at Glensham, has become the
mother of three bouncing babies of ten
pounds each. What is still more remarkable
about this event is that one of the infants
has three eyes, one of them being located
just above the bridge of the nose, while the
other two eyes are in their regular posi-
tions.

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BATTLE NEAR PENTEPIDADIA.

SIX THOUSAND GREEKS ENGAGED
BY THE TURKS.

SITUATION AT VELESTINO.

The Greeks Are Strongly Entrenched
There and the Turks Delay
Their Attack.

LONDON, May 4.—A special dispatch re-
ceived here from Arta this afternoon says
that a force of 6,000 Greeks, commanded by
Col. Balafrachis, while advancing on Pen-
tepidadia, has been engaged by the Turks.
A battle, according to this dispatch, is now
in progress.

GREEKS AT VELESTINO.

Turks Have Avoided Any Further At-
tack Upon Them.

ATHENS, May 4.—A dispatch from Phar-
sala says the Turks have avoided making
any further attack upon Velestino, content-
ing themselves with reconnoitering the
neighborhood of the place.

The Greeks, it is announced, occupy
strong positions, which enable them to re-
pulse superior forces.

KING'S SPECULATION.

Charges That He Has Cleared Millions
in the Bond Market.

PARIS, May 4.—The Gil Blas says the
King of Greece used the crisis in the af-
fairs of his country to speculate in Greek
and Turkish bonds, with the result that he
has cleared from 20,000,000 to 35,000,000 francs.

SITUATION SUMMED UP.

Battles Seem Bound to Occur Near Volo
and Pharsala.

ATHENS, May 4.—The chief points of in-
terest in the war situation may be presented
thus:

First, that the decision of the Ministers
who visited the Greek frontier seems to be
in favor of a continuance of the war, and
second, that fighting continued almost in-
cessantly at Velestino from last Thursday
until Sunday, with the result that Gen.
Smolenski has been prevented from assum-
ing his new duties as chief of staff.

As a further result, the Greeks at Vele-
stino have managed to retain their positions,
but they are too much fatigued to follow
up their success.

Altogether fourteen officers have been re-
called from Crete to see to the situation
at Velestino. The best officers are being sent
to the front, nor is there any intention yet
displayed to evacuate Crete.

The Turkish army is advancing in three
columns at Pharsala, while an additional
column is operating in the direction of Volo.
As the Volo column could easily take Ve-
lestino in the rear the Greek position is pre-
carious. This explains the retention of Gen.
Smolenski there, as it was natural to ex-
pect him to go to Pharsala to assume su-
preme command.

It is said on good authority that the pow-
ers have made overtures to Greece on the
subject of peace, but that the Government
declines to invoke the mediation of Gen.
The King has decided to remain here for
the present.

It is said that the Turks asked an armis-
tice in order to bury their dead. The re-
quest was referred to the commander-in-
chief, from whom no definite reply is
forthcoming, but the armistice is tacitly
observed. The Greeks speak with emotion
of the enemy's gallantry.

NEW YORK, May 4.—A dispatch from
Volo to the Journal says: The situation here
seems to be improving under the command
of Gen. Smolenski, who did so well with the
artillery at Reven. The Greek troops seem
to have a better chance of holding the ground
than remains. The army is divided into
three divisions. Twelve thousand, under
command of Smolenski, are at Velestino to
defend the approach to Volo. Five thousand
men are encamped at Pharsala, and the rest
of the army, with Prince Constantine, 10,
000 in number, is at Domokos, south of
Pharsala. These last will have to with-
stand an attack of the Turks from Tri-
kala.

The Greek fleet has just arrived in the
harbor and the panic which prevailed for
the last three days is lessened. Three
cruisers—one French, one English and one
Italian—are also here.

APPEAL TO GLADSTONE.

Princess of Wales Will Ask Him to Use
His Influence.

LONDON, May 4.—The report that the
Princess of Wales was using her utmost in-
fluence to bring about English intervention
in favor of Greece in the East is corrobo-
rated by the London press. The Princess,
accompanied by the Prince, takes the pre-
cedent course of asking the assistance of
Mr. Gladstone. They have made an en-
gagement to visit the ex-Premier at Haw-
arden May 10.

DRUNK WITH SUCCESS.

Turkish Soldiers Clamoring to Get at
the Greeks.

LARISSA, May 4.—The road from Saloni-
ca hence is covered with troops on their
way to reinforce Edhem Pasha's army of
occupation, although the Turkish forces al-
ready in Greece suffice to assure the success
of the Turks. Perfect order prevails every-
where. The soldiers are full of enthusiasm

CUBANS' MISERY MOVES SHERMAN.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS SENT TO CONSULAR OFFICERS.

DETAILED REPORTS WANTED.

Consul Brice at Matanzas Describes the Awful Results of Weyler's Inhuman Policy.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 4.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Washington, D. C., says: Official reports of the most serious character have recently come to the State Department regarding the starvation and misery in Cuba, and Secretary Sherman has issued special instructions to all the consular officers in Cuba, requesting detailed reports as to the situation in their districts. In the course of a long confidential report from Matanzas, United States Consul Alexander C. Brice said: "Over 7,000 persons have been concentrated at this place, three quarters of whom are entirely without means of support. Women and children are dying on the streets from starvation. Death and misery walk hand in hand. Among these people there are several Americans. Yellow fever, small-pox and other diseases are prevalent. All this is the result of Gen. Weyler's inhuman policy. Aid for these sufferers should promptly come from the United States."

Other reports of a similar character have been received from the regularly accredited agents of the United States and have been placed before President McKinley.

SAYS HE WAS ROBBED.

Police Doubt Farmer Coleman's Story of Losing \$850.

W. J. Coleman, a farmer from St. Louis County, who spent Monday night at the Hotel St. Louis, claimed to the police that he had been robbed of \$850 while he slept. Coleman's personal appearance caused the police to doubt his statement. He was poorly clad and one of the officers said that his clothing was not worth more than 30 cents. His story, too, was considered rather improbable. When he retired Monday night at 10 o'clock, he said he had \$850 in his vest pocket. He hung his vest on a chair by the side of his bed. He did not take the precaution to lock the door. In the morning the money was gone. A few months ago Coleman figured in two law suits at Union, Mo., according to the police reports. Coleman owned a farm which he rented to George S. Horner, a Pennsylvanian, who was charged with the offense. Then the negro brought a civil suit for damages and received a judgment for \$1,000. It is said the judgment remains unsatisfied. Coleman insists that he was robbed, but he says he suspects no one in particular.

A FACETIOUS BURGLAR.

Explained When Caught That He Was Looking for a Growler.

James Hanrahan is a trespasser who uses repartee when caught. Mrs. Vincent Gault had occasion to do some work in the yard back of her residence at 1933 Morgan street Monday afternoon. She had locked the front door. When she had finished the work in the yard she went into the kitchen and while there she heard unusual noises in the house. Through curiosity she went in there and found Hanrahan and a companion going through the drawers and dresser. "What are you doing there?" she demanded. "Pardon us, mum, but we was just looking for your growler," was Hanrahan's reply. "You don't suppose I keep my beer bucket in the bureau, do you?"

"Well, mum, that's where we keep 'em in our end of town." Just then Mrs. Gault noticed the front door had been broken open. At first it did not occur to her that the intruders were robbers, but when she saw how entrance had been gained she screamed and ran to the door. The men rushed from the house and started down the street. They had scarcely left the room when Mrs. Gault fainted and dropped to the floor. Her screams had attracted several men. When they saw the men running they took after them. At Eighteenth street one of the men turned back and ran into the arms of Patrolman Roach. When the policeman reached Mrs. Gault's residence she had recovered, and was looking for a carpenter to repair the broken door. A warrant was issued Tuesday charging Hanrahan with burglary.

KEPT HIS WORD.

Comptroller Sturgeon Reappoints His Entire Office Force.

When the eliot went forth that a new deal was in order on appointments in all the departments, Comptroller James H. Sturgeon, the mildest-mannered official at the City Hall, set his foot down hard and said no changes would be made in his force, no matter how much the city fathers He kept his word. Monday evening he reapportioned his whole force, consisting of fifteen men, and the appointments were immediately approved by Mayor Ziegenfuss, and Tuesday morning they were sent to the Register's office. Water Commissioner Holman has appointed Morton H. Higdon, chief of the storage reservoir, and Jacob J. Sapper, a blacksmith at high service stations Nos. 1 and 2.

NO MORE FREE WATER.

House Bill Requiring Drinking Fountains to Be Paid For.

Speaker Lloyd of the House of Delegates is authority for the statement that a bill will be introduced at Tuesday night's meeting of the House requiring that the water

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HAD A GOOD MAJORITY IN THE ILLINOIS HOUSE.

THE LIBEL BILL POSTPONED.

The Senate Passed the Revenue Bill Drafted by Chicago's Real Estate Board.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 4.—The Senate passed the revenue bill drafted by the Chicago real estate board providing for three supervisors of assessment in Cook County, and that the county treasurers of other counties shall be ex-officio supervisors of assessment.

The Humphrey libel bill was a special order on its passage. There were not enough friends of the bill present to pass it, and motion of Mahoney action on it was postponed until to-morrow.

The House passed McGorty's bill extending the one and one-half per cent tax to the city of 189 in the Chicago drainage district, after a prolonged debate. The Cook County members were divided on the measure. Novak of Cook led the fight against the bill. He said that the trustees were not unanimously for the bill, that it was a tax on the people, and that there is now a million and a half dollars in the treasury of the trustees. The bill will take from the people's pockets nearly five million dollars, which will be squandered. Revell, Sterche, Suttle and others followed in the same strain.

McGorty, speaking in favor of the measure, said that the revenue which will be raised under this bill will complete the enterprise, if the bill is not passed, it will cease and all that has been done will have been done for naught.

Muller, Sharrock and others favored the bill. It passed by a vote of 82 yeas to 23 nays.

Tisdell, chairman of the special committee having in charge the opposition to the Humphrey railway bill, made a close canvass of the House this morning to get the sentiment of the members on these measures. There are several members absent, but those who were present for the present caucus were seen and with two exceptions Tisdell says they are against the bill.

The opposition gained two of the Humphrey adherents, the plan of campaign. The opposition pushed the franchise bill as the last one, as many of the members are out of town. The plan of campaign will be mapped out and a time fixed upon to call the bills up.

The rumor that the street car interests have concluded to drop the bill providing for a commission and a franchise extension measure is regarded as being in bad faith.

THE HUMPHREY BILLS.

Chances Against Their Consideration This Week.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 4.—It is the prevailing opinion that no action will be taken on the Humphrey bills this week. A number of the leaders are away attending judicial conventions and the opponents will likely defeat the bills before they reach the floor.

The anti-Humphrey bills steering committee met to-night for the purpose of discussing the plan of action to be pursued in opposition to the bills. The meeting was held in closed doors and after reviewing the situation it was decided not to take any action at to-morrow's session. The cause of the delay is the fact that the Humphrey bills have not yet been introduced.

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TANNER'S APPOINTMENTS.

James R. B. Van Cleave Made State Insurance Commissioner.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 4.—Gov. Tanner appointed James R. B. Van Cleave Insurance Commissioner. Van Cleave has been one of the Governor's closest confidants during the campaign and has been acting as his private secretary since he was elected to office. He has been asserted both by the Governor and Van Cleave that the latter only wanted a position of military dignity. He was appointed Inspector-General of the National Guard some time ago, which confirmed his belief. The office of Insurance Commissioner is a new one.

RAILWAY SURGEONS.

President Lutz of St. Louis Addresses Them at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 4.—The tenth annual convention of the National Association of Railway Surgeons began here to-day. An address by Dr. F. J. Lutz of St. Louis, the President, was followed by reports of officers and reading of papers. The convention will continue three days.

SOUTHERN GROCERS.

They Will Meet at Nashville, Tenn., May 27.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 4.—The Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association will hold its annual meeting in this city May 27. The meeting is for the purpose of electing officers and considering the regulation of freight rates and general traffic matters. The Arkansas Wholesale Grocers' Association has also been invited to join the association after being out for a year.

ST. LOUIS FREIGHT BUREAU.

It Will Be Ready for Business on Wednesday.

President Langenberg of the Merchants' Exchange announced Tuesday that the St. Louis Freight Bureau would be ready for business Wednesday. The office on the fifth floor of the Exchange building have not been filled up, but it is thought this will require only a few hours' work.

A. J. Vandlandingham, the Commissioner has arrived from Kansas City and is prepared to enter on his new duties at once.

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THE ELECTION OF SENATORS.

The protracted Senatorial contest in Kentucky, resulting in the selection of a comparatively unknown man, representing no definite principles or policy, has greatly strengthened the demand for popular election of Senators.
It is not only the fact that the protracted balloting has cost the State \$100,000, or the fact that Deboe stands for nothing definite, which moves the public mind to protest. It is the fact that the man who was for weeks the leading candidate before the Legislature is now under indictment for attempting to bribe members to vote for him. The fact is significant in itself, but when it is known that but for these indictments Hunter would have been elected, its effect upon the public mind is made all the stronger.
It is not a revelation that men who could never hope to reach the Senate through their party convention and at the ballot box have reached that body through bribery, the use of patronage or other unworthy means. The people have long been aware of the fact that there are men in the Senate absolutely without a constituency behind them, and their irresponsibility has aroused the public mind to a keen appreciation of the dangers of the caucus system.
Much has been patiently borne. But it is evident that the end is now near, and that a constitutional amendment providing for the election of Senators by popular vote will soon be adopted.

THE HUMPHREY BILLS.

Supporters of the Humphrey bills of infamy in Illinois are said to be willing to yield the Street Railway State Commission bill if they can get through the Senate. In other words, to give away one point in the game to get the other. The Humphrey bill proposing the creation of a Street Railway Commission is a bad bill, but the Humphrey bill proposing to extend the term of the commission for a period of six years without consulting the people who granted the charter originally is much worse. It deprives communities of the right of purchase, of the right to reduce fares and of other rights inherent in the municipalities which granted the charters, which have given the charters their value, and which are entitled to a voice in their regulation and control.
The opponents of these bills of infamy should not compromise. The fact that the corporations are willing to compromise is evidence that they know themselves to be beaten if the fight is maintained on no quarter is given. It is possible that the Commission bill was only drawn and put through the Senate to save the fifty-year bill, which is the vital one from the corporation point of view. The Humphrey bills should be beaten as they stand. Don't compromise with infamy.

OUR DUTY TO CUBA.

Despite the assurance of Senator Hale of Maine that there is no purpose to delay consideration of the Morgan resolution to recognize Cuban belligerency, delay continues. There may or may not be purpose and method in the repeated postponement of consideration of the resolution, but it is significant that the alleged delay is always urged by a Republican Senator. And New England is commonly understood to have a selfish interest in the continuance of Spanish rule in the island.

When the resolution was called up Tuesday Senator Hale of Maine, objecting to immediate consideration, said that a recognition of the belligerency of Cuba would only intensify the misery of the people. But recognition is not urged as a means of ameliorating present conditions.

the object is to terminate them. It is clear, as Senator Morgan says, that Spanish policy in Cuba is one of starvation. If Cuba is left to her fate that policy may succeed. But recognition by the United States will give the Cubans a standing, an encouragement and a moral support that will enable them to bring the war to a speedy and victorious close. The Morgan resolution should be forced to a vote and passed. It reflects the public sentiment of this country.

THE SCHOOL BOARD TICKETS.

The School Board tickets are now filed, and it remains for the voters to make their choice of a set of directors to lead after the educational interests of the 110 public schools, the 1,500 teachers and the 70,000 St. Louis children who attend these schools. The new directors will have the supervision of a school system that costs the city \$1,500,000 annually.

All can see that this is a system that involves the highest responsibility and demands the best talent. It is a system that is greater than any private industry that in St. Louis, and its mismanagement attended with more disastrous consequences to more individuals than the mismanagement of any single interest in the city, because those who benefit it are carried on by the young and the helpless, upon whom the city depends for its future citizenship. There is plenty of good material for a competent and disinterested set of school directors in the four tickets that have been placed in the field. Voters can make a careful selection, based upon the known record of such candidates as are seeking re-election, and upon the information that has been published about the new candidates.

The Post-Dispatch believes that most of the persons named in the Citizens' Democratic ticket would make a Board of Directors satisfactory in all respects. No voter who has watched the course of the other tickets "straight" will be open to suspicion for causes that have already been explained. They afford excellent opportunity for intelligent "scratching."

It will be proof of the most culpable negligence if decent citizens fail to turn out and poll a heavy vote at the coming school election. The people have a long desired opportunity to assert themselves and purify the School Board. Will they do so?

LIKEWISE INDIANA.

The Democrats have made more general and more decided gains at the local elections in Indiana than in those of any other State that has voted this year.

Democratic gains at such elections all over the country have been not only general, but extraordinary. Wherever party lines have been clearly drawn the result has been Republican loss and Democratic gain. Such was the result in the town elections of Connecticut, New York and New Jersey, of Ohio, Iowa and Illinois. The Indiana town elections show larger percentages of Republican loss and Democratic gain than in any of the other States.

Like causes, operating in Indiana, have produced like effects. Hard times, want of employment, the disappointments of business men and other evils which Republicans promised to remove, but have intensified, were at work there, as in every other State, without reference to sectional lines.

But there is another consideration which makes the result in Indiana particularly significant. Indiana was, beyond doubt, one of the States which the people carried for Bryan at the polls, but which was delivered to Hanna and McKinley through the purchased midnight scoundrelism of election officers. The result of these elections cannot, then, be called a revolution so much as evidence proving the crime of last year. It is a repudiation of both the methods and the policies of McKinleyism.

Indiana is Democratic. She was Democratic last year on the issues of the campaign, and she will remain Democratic until those issues are settled and settled right.

Victims hesitate to invite President Faure to France for his festivities, because if Faure were invited she would be supposed, would expect, to be treated as the equal of the Carr and Overton imperial persons who are looked upon as of great importance in the courts of Europe. There will be no grief in the United States if President McKinley does not attend the jubilee. If they knew over of the about Gov. Tanner and his gaudy staff they might send an invitation to Springfield. The Carr would scarcely expect to take precedence of so much grandeur.

The Associated Press dispatches appear in the afternoon in the Post-Dispatch only. No other afternoon paper in St. Louis has them. The wide field covered by these telegrams makes them very valuable, and since the retirement of the United Press Association they are an absolute necessity to any journal pretending to serve its readers well.

Mr. Hoar's admission that domestic wool may be so stimulated that the market will be glutted and investors lose their money, is not surprising. The high tariff scheme has long been recognized as an industrial intoxication, with penalties as certain as those that follow a spree in the flesh.

Whatever may be doubtful as to the circulation of other newspapers, there can be no doubt about the great circulation of the Post-Dispatch. Investigating advertisers will find the Post-Dispatch's circulation in St. Louis far exceeding that of any local competitor.

The great army of wage-earners are consumers. Senator Elkins says that wages must come down, while Mr. McKinley says that the necessities of life must be made more costly to consumers. Between Elkins and McKinley, where will the consumer find himself?

Meter rates for drinking fountains will not be opposed by water consumers generally, who are heavily taxed for the water they are using. In the matter of water, expenses should be fairly apportioned if they cannot be reduced.

Farmer Lagrone of Texas, who says he talked with the crew of an air ship, got the information that five ships had been sent up in Illinois, and that a factory

for alpesh manufacture is to be established in St. Louis. The alpesh people seem to know which is the best manufacturing point in the country.

Philadelphia has organized a commercial museum for promoting trade with the South American republics, and on the 2d of June President McKinley will be on hand to address thirty gentlemen who will be in Philadelphia as representatives of these republics. In view of the preparation of a high tariff bill designed to enclose foreign goods, what can the commercial museum or Mr. McKinley's address amount to?

Secretary Alger finds it best not to encourage Huntington further in the San Pedro Harbor matter. There has never for a moment been a doubt as to the superior claims of San Pedro, and its improvement ought not to have been delayed an hour.

Mayor Strong, if he is to supply all the Grand Army posts, will have to break into bits the 1,000 bricks he obtained from the old tomb of Gen. Grant, or he may have to reduce the bricks to brick dust if all the demands for relics are to be met.

The School Board ring ticket is called by its makers the Liberal ticket. The idea is doubtless liberal appropriations, to be handled by the candidates when they shall have been installed as a newly elected board.

Mr. McKinley, before the election, was led to believe that his party in Missouri had an "invincible" lead. Now that he knows that it was stepped on so heavily, why should he hasten to feed it with pie?

Mr. Chandler's proposed \$50,000,000 of indebtedness certificates will get no encouragement. They would pay no interest to Pierpont Morgan and other patriots who work the Government.

The Grecian Crown Prince has been mobbed and the Grecian King is suffering from heart disease. Is not this sufficient to arouse the sympathy of royal powers all over Europe?

Havemeyer, Searles and Chapman should all be dumped into prison together. President McKinley would make a great mistake in pardoning either.

When Uncle Filley asks Mr. McKinley, "What is the matter with Smith?" but "Who is Smith?" what is our happy Chief Magistrate to say?

There is plenty of silver sentiment in Kentucky. In two weeks the Louisville Dispatch, the new silver daily, has gained a circulation of 20,000.

The St. Louis Browns are again drifting toward the tail end, and are about to crowd Chicago and Boston away from that inglorious extremity.

Some of the Turner Bund names are going to get into the newspapers wrong, but this must not be considered a breach of hospitality.

The Pilley crowd will have to impress it upon Mr. McKinley that they are from the town where the new President was nominated.

Uncle Filley's bar-tub hat would not hold all the appointments from Mr. McKinley, to which he considers himself entitled.

The hide duty is to be one cent a pound. No sagacious statesman could like to be in the shoes of the one who proposed this duty.

It took 112 days to elect Kentucky's new Senator. The people could elect a Senator in a day.

A beer tax would be a confession that a high tariff cannot be depended upon for revenue.

Interesting to Tea Drinkers.

From the Washington Post.
The millions who partake of the delightful "drink that cheers but not inebriates," should be interested in an act of Congress which, going into effect to-day, promises them some degree of protection against adulterated and poisonous coloring matter. This measure provides that the collectors of customs at New York, San Francisco and Chicago shall be supplied with standard samples of tea prepared once a year by a board of official experts appointed for that purpose; that all imports of tea shall be held in warehouses until they have been tested by duly qualified examiners, and that consignments which fall short of the established standards shall be either sent out of the country or destroyed.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

From the New York Press.
A girl who wears bloomers and a man's hat, and who feels and acts like a man, is no one can really be in love and not love her. A wise woman knows that the madder her husband is the harder he'll pound the carpet.

Monuments don't make great men remembered, but great men make monuments remembered.

The less we love the less we believe. The reason why children love so much is because they believe so much.

Napoleon Paraphrased.

From the Indianapolis Journal.
The commanding general of the first battalion of the new war struck a Napoleonic attitude.
"Men," rang out his clarion voice, "this day and hour forty telescopes are looking down upon you!"

Cheated.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.
"He offered me a dollar for a kiss."
"Yes."
"I see."
"Then he said he didn't like the sample."

WEALTH ABOVE.

From an Old Scrap Book.
Ben Adam had a golden coin one day. Which he put out at interest with Jew Year after year awaiting him it lay.
Until the double coin was known as "How rich Ben Adam lay," and bowed the servile head.

Ben Selim had a golden coin that day.

Which to a stranger, asking alms, he gave. And Selim died "too poor to own a grave."
Reached Heaven, angels showed him
Which to which his coin

IN THE PUBLIC EYE.



LAWRENCE BRUNER.

This is a picture of the University of Nebraska professor who is going to Argentina, by request, to kill off the grasshoppers.

MEN OF MARK.

The Greek General Smolents is 45 years of age and a graduate of the best military schools. He is considered the most expert artist in the Greek army.

In Constantinople—The Sultan: Well, what is there to do to-day? The Grand Vizier: Would your Majesty care to look at the latest styles in uniforms?—Puck.

William Schenck of Pine Grove, Wis., has just escaped the monotony of never making a mistake. He has been town treasurer for sixteen years, and his only error during that time was returning a lot on which taxes had been paid. He is 83 years old, and the townsmen intend to keep him in office for life. He was born in New Jersey.

Fourier's 12th birthday was celebrated by a band of Paris Fourierists recently. They marched to his tomb in Montmartre Cemetery, where speeches were made—by Mme. Endes, 91 years of age, who had been a member of the original phalanxists.

There was a banquet for him in the Palais Royal, where a gift of \$10,000 to the cause of Fourierism was announced.

Judge Levi Davis, who died the other day at Alton, Ill., was in early life the best-known lawyer in Illinois. He was prominent in politics as a Whig leader, and served two terms as State Auditor just before and after the capital was moved from Vandalia to Springfield, one term under a Whig and one under a Democratic Administration, the office being appointive at that time. He was a friend of Lincoln, and a comrade of Douglas and Trumbull, and was a comrade of the former in the Black Hawk war, in 1832.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, widow of the famous General, recently took part in decorating the graves of the Confederate dead in Alabama.

Miss Frances E. Willard, who has been the guest of Mrs. Frederick Douglass, in Washington, wants to have the home of Douglass made "a mecca for humanity, a beacon of hope, a historic shrine."

Miss Cassini, niece of the Russian Minister to China, was the way for him to the Emperor very easy. She is but 15 years old, but she has a fluent command of the Chinese language, and is able to interpret the most complicated diplomatic matters.

Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Garfield, Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Cleveland have been total abstainers during their reign in the White House. Mrs. Garfield, Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Cleveland never furnished wine to their guests, except at State dinners, when the President's guests were invited to dine at the White House. Mrs. McKinley is a total abstainer.

Queen Natalie is considered the most beautiful Queen in Europe. Her greatest charm is her exquisitely shaped neck, which is said to resemble that of Venus of Milo. The means she employs to protect it against the ravages of time is simple enough to be practiced by any one. It is said that every morning she takes a brisk walk in the grounds of her palace, and, being, with a heavy pitcher on her head.

WIT AND HUMOR.

"For a while he was clear out of his mind about that girl." "And now?" "Oh, now the girl is clear out of his mind."

"I'm down on these literary clubs; they have a bad effect on domestic happiness." "In what special way?" "Why, since my wife got so busy reading Emerson, she doesn't care to look on while I whitewash the back fence."—Detroit Free Press.

Clerks say, Squeensville, the fellow I'm working for is a mighty mean cuss. Work em: What's the matter now? Clerk: Just as I was getting ready to loaf during the hot weather he spoiled it all by sticking page ads in the leading newspapers.—Omaha World-Herald.

"Mamma," asked Sammy Snaggs, "what is meant by the spur of the moment?" "The spur of the moment is affixed to the heel of time," replied Mrs. Snaggs, sagely, "and prompts to immediate performance. Now go to the grocery and stake my name on it, that your Uncle Hanna cannot succeed himself in the Senate. I feel sorry, too; I had uses for your Uncle Hanna in the Senate and will miss much in his departure."

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The Scarcity of Money.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

One of the current explanations in the goldbugs papers of the exports of gold is that money is overabundant in New York and in demand in Austria. The announcement is calmly made that in sending gold abroad we are nearer the position of a debtor than a creditor country. Many queer excuses are made, indeed, for the raid on the Treasury which has already commenced. Besides this, if the withdrawal is kept up long enough it may be considered necessary for the Secretary of the Treasury to issue more bonds for capitalists to speculate in.

The abundance of money in the banks in New York and elsewhere is no sign that it is plentiful among the people. On the contrary, it is evidence that the people cannot get it to capitalize their enterprises. The scarce metal is made the foundation of all money. It follows that money is scarce and dear and looked upon as too precious to let out. The fact that there is idle money in the banks is an indication that the people are idle for the want of it. The main use to which it is put is speculation in the stock market. The Government imposes on itself by its "scarce money" policy.

There ought to be so much circulating medium—money of redemption—in this country that it could be loaned out to the common people instead of all of it in the hands of the capitalists, waiting for the Government to run short of the redeeming metal. There cannot be enough money while the only money of redemption is gold, and that is scarce. The plenty of money in the banks and the scarcity of it among the people is one of the striking evidences that there is not enough money.

She Recalled McGinty.

From the Detroit Free Press.

One day in my wandering along the Clover fork of the Cumberland River I stopped at a farm-house to get dinner, and as I sat in the shade of the porch waiting, I was whistling for lack of thought and something else to do, the reading supply of the establishment being painfully short. My hostess was knocking around inside, getting dinner, and I was evidently heard my sweet and gentle melodies, for she stuck her head out of the door.

"Do yer whistle by note, mister," she inquired, "er jist simultaneous like?" I responded, laughing, "simultaneous like." I responded, "I never heard them chunes afore," she went on, "an' I kinder had an ide they wuz buke chunes got out fer extry."

"Oh, no," I assured her, "they are merely little bits from the popular airs of the day, that everybody whistles."

"S that so?" she asked in surprise. "I hain't never heard 'em up this away. What's their names?"

"Well, Comrade, Annie Rooney," "Maggie Murphy's Home," "Tara Bore," "McGinty" and so forth. Didn't you ever hear of McGinty?"

She became thoughtful.

"What's the name?" she inquired. "Seems kinder like I knowed it."

"McGinty," I repeated slowly, and her face brightened.

"Oh, yes," she exclaimed, "I knowed I knowed it, but somehow I couldn't quite set it with it belonged. Ah! he the feller that they named the tariff after?"

I said it was, and went in to dinner.

THE WILES OF MEN.

"Six pounds at six cents. Six sixes is sixty-six," said the clerk.

Hanna's Political Fight.

Washington Letter in New York Journal.
I don't say that the Republicans followed the exact too-short and over-all plan of De Weese and rung in the gentle sex, but he did something to carry Ohio McKinleywards to which a man's horn is straight. The trick can be turned year after year.

Uncle Hanna hasn't always a fifteen-million bundle wherewith to furnish wings to a dark success. And money in elections is sowing the dragon's teeth, after all. Buy a man once, and unless you buy him the next time he'll vote against you. Just to show the world he's honest. This last was poured into my ear by an expert. Next time Hanna will not and cannot spend the money which he did last fall. For all of which we thank him, and stake my name on it, that your Uncle Hanna cannot succeed himself in the Senate. I feel sorry, too; I had uses for your Uncle Hanna in the Senate and will miss much in his departure.

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BOY—Situation wanted by a bright boy as office boy or for writing. Ad. C. 685, this office.

BOY—Wanted, situation by boy of 17; work of any kind; best of refs. Ad. C. 686, this office.

BOOKKEEPER—College and practical education, wants work; is willing to substitute machine hands for references. Ad. T. 684, this office.

BUTCHER—Young man having one year's experience in slaughtering and meat cutting wishes a situation to finish his trade; willing to work. Ad. R. L. Hartick, 1008 1/2 Gaty av., East St. Louis, Ill.

BAKER—Wanted, a first-class bread and cake baker; country preferred. Ad. 2633 Mc-Nair av.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, position as assistant bookkeeper, office work, groceries, shoes, export, and references. S. H. Sullivan, 2101 Clark.

BOY—Situation wanted by a reliable boy of 17 to do office work or work of any kind where there is a chance for advancement; good references. Ad. A. 670, this office.

BOY—Reliable boy from country, aged 16, wants situation in a store or office; best refs. Ad. F. 686, this office.

BAKER—Wanted, a job in some country town by a No. 1 baker; am single and can give references. Ad. J. E. Hain, Marshall, Mo.

CLERK—Wanted, position as clerk in shoe store. I. L. Raphael, 1025 Park av.

CLERK—Situation wanted as clerk in country store; capable of entire management; 5 years experience; can keep books; best references. Ad. M. 686, this office.

CARPENTER—Wants situation by the day or month; can give good references. Ad. M. 685, this office.

DRIVER—Young man of 20 wishes situation as driver or work of any kind; wages no object; city references. Ad. L. E. 1824 S. Broadway.

DRIVER—Experienced young man desires position as driver; well acquainted with city; can give good references. Ad. M. 685, this office.

DRIVER—Married man wants situation to drive delivery wagon, and will take care of horses; best of references. Ad. C. 686, this office.

DRIVER—Situation wanted by a young man to drive delivery wagon; experienced in grocery; knows city. Ad. K. 686, this office.

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MAN—Young German wishes situation of most any kind; can give good references. Ad. C. 684, this office.

MAN—Middle-aged German wants work in factory, heavy stable or barroom; can give security, with good references. Ad. H. L. 3250 S. Broadway.

MAN—Wanted, work in a grocery store and drive delivery wagon; good reference. Ad. John Moody, 3250 N. 19th st.

MAN AND WIFE—Educated and refined, circumstances unfortunate, want situation; man exceptional horseman and general man; wife qualified as companion or to assist in household duties; will go anywhere. Ad. W. 685, this office.

MAN AND WIFE—Wanted, situation by couple; very reliable; American; temperate; man is watchman, night clerk, etc.; woman very neat in care of rooms. Ad. F. 686, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation in private family by experienced young man to tend horse and garden. Ad. G. 686, this office.

MAN—Young man from the country wishes situation in a dairy; 5 years' experience. Ad. G. 684, this office.

MAN—A young colored man would like position in family or boarding house to serve breakfast or to do odd jobs; willing to assist in household duties. Ad. F. 684, this office, or 919 N. Ewing.

MAN—Intelligent, competent young man of good character desires employment; a convincing talker. Ad. M. 687, this office.

MAN—Wanted, employment of any kind during morning hours by medical student. Ad. Walter Ellsworth, General Delivery.

MAN—Capable, refined, young Englishman desires position of any kind in private or public place, city or country. Ad. L. 685, this office.

MAN AND WIFE—Wanted, situation as cook and to work around place, city or country. Ad. C. O. T. 1, 1320 Biddle st., 2d floor.

MAN—Wanted, situation by middle-aged German for general work on private place, care of horses; good references. Ad. H. B. 1013 Garrison st.

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced young man, stenographer, desk clerk, etc.; willing to work one week on trial free of charge to prove ability; references from last employer. Ad. D. 686, this office.

TAILOR—A first-class cutter wishes position as assistant cutter; good references. Ad. F. 684, this office.

YOUNG MAN—Wants situation to tend to horse and work around place. Ad. B. 685, this office.

YOUNG MAN—Young married man wants work of any kind, and not afraid of work. Ad. J. E. Becker, 2733 Standard st.

YOUNG MAN—Wanted, situation by a young man from country; 20 years old, steady and reliable. 328 Manchester st.

YOUNG MAN—Wants situation to take care of horse and work around the house of any kind or kind of work. Inquire for Henry McCabe, 813 S. 24th.

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BOY WANTED—At once, experienced boy to feed pigs; give references. Ad. N. 688, this office.

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BOY WANTED—A boy to learn cigar trade; with parents. 1830 Wash st.

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BOY WANTED—A strong boy to work in lunch room. 412 First Latta, Vandalia, Ill.

BRICK LAYERS WANTED—Brick layers and masons. Ad. E. E. Smith, 1415 N. 1st.

BOY WANTED—A German boy at 2619 Missouri st. J. Biehlhauer.

COMPOSITOR WANTED—318 Market st.

COLLECTOR WANTED—Experienced installment collector; references and bond required. Ad. D. 685, this office.

CARPENTER—Wanted, Carpenter and cabinet maker; must furnish best city furniture references, otherwise do not apply; salary \$10 per week. 344 N. Broadway.

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LASTERS WANTED—Boys lasters in string team. Peters Shoe Co., 11th and North Main.

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COOK—Good cook wants a place; wishes to go at night; with refs. 807 1/2 N. 20th st.

COOK—Wanted, situation by an experienced cook; willing to do housework; no objection to going away for summer; also nurse; references. Call N. N. Jefferson.

COOK—Wanted, situation by good woman to cook in city or suburbs; will give satisfaction. Ad. F. 685, this office.

COOK—First-class cook, with references, wants to go to good family. Call on Miss P., 1424 Washington av.

COOK—Wanted, situation by German as cook or housegirl. Call at address 2007 N. 10th st.

COLLECTOR—Wanted, position by experienced young lady as collector; household, tailoring, bond furnished. Ad. P. 685, this office.

DRESSMAKER—Competent dressmaker, recently from the city, wishes a few more engagements in family; 4270 Cote Brillante av.

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HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by reliable girl for general work; small family; refs. given. Call at 1018 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, girl by first-class house and dining room. 423 Locust av.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation at light housework or to nurse one child. 816 N. 21st st.

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LAUNDRESS—Colored woman wants situation; washing or housecleaning. 1522 Morgan st., in rear, upstairs.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, work by first-class laundress by day, or to cook; good references. 2012 Walnut st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, by a laundress, washing and ironing by the day; or housecleaning. 2512 Standard.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, to take washing and go out. 1902 N. Grand av.

LADY—A lady wants office work, half day; can furnish references; also typewriting at home. 3600 Laclede av.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, situation by first-class laundress to go out Wednesday and Thursday of each week. 2112 Baldwin st.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants laundry work for 2 or 3 days. 2617 Wash st.

LADY—Young girl, desiring of learning the art of dressmaking, would like position with first-class modiste. Ad. H. 684, this office.

MENTING—A widow in need wants a maid to mend and darn; a neat sewer. Ad. T. 678, this office.

NURSE—Bright 14-year-old girl, fond of children, desires place as nurse. Ad. C. 686, this office.

NURSE—Wanted, alt. nurse or light housework. 3127 Easton av.

NURSE—Wanted, situation by girl 18 years old as nurse. Address 318 Cedar st.

NURSE—Wanted, situation to take care of a baby and willing to do sewing and to go traveling; best of references. Ad. T. 685, this office.

PHOTOGRAPHER—Wanted, place with photographer; all-around help; general information and particulars address R. 684, this office.

SKIRT MAKER—Experienced skirt maker wants work to do at home. Ad. 812 Barry st.

STENOGRAPHER—Competent young lady stenographer desires permanent position; accurate, rapid and neat; thoroughly familiar with office work. Ad. D. 681, this office.

WATERSIDES—Two watersides, now at first-class hotel in Springfield, Mo., would like similar position in St. Louis; good references. Ad. W. 682, this office.

WOMAN—Wanted, housecleaning or laundry work for three last days in week by good worker. 514 West 4th.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by a woman to do house or laundry work; good references. Ad. Emergency Home, 2808 Morgan st.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation by young German woman with child for general housework; city or country. Ad. E. 684, this office.

WOMAN—Wanted, situation to do light housework; no washing; can furnish references; middle-aged woman. Ad. E. 684, this office.

GAS, gasoline and cook stove repairs; gasoline stoves fixed to burn gas. J. Forsyth, 11 N. 12th.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.
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COOK WANTED—Apply at 3120 Lafayette av.

COOK WANTED—Competent girl to cook, wash and iron. 4434 Westminster pl.

COOK WANTED—A competent middle-aged German woman with good references at 3552 Pine.

COOK WANTED—An experienced German girl to cook; city references. Apply at 4108 Washington.

COOK WANTED—Good cook who can wash and iron for small family. 3027 Russell av.

COOK WANTED—Good cook; small family. Apply at once. 4421 Laclede av.

COOK WANTED—Good cook, cooking and general housework; German preferred. 2729 Walnut.

COOK WANTED—A cook and landress at No. 3028 Sheridan av.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—A good dressmaker to dress the city. Apply Wednesday morning, Mrs. J. O. McDonald, 1042 Washington av.

GIRL WANTED—A girl to cook and do housework in small family. 4144 Morgan.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl for cooking and general housework; references required. 1829 Kennett pl.

GIRL WANTED—Young girl for housework. Apply at once. 3157 Bell av.

GIRL WANTED—Colored girl for general housework and nursing. 3831 Cook.

GIRLS WANTED—1000 young girls to assist dressmaker; good pay. Call Wednesday, 10th and 12th, 3004 Locust.

GIRLS WANTED—On shop coats; fine fitting; hands; hand finishers. 2548 S. Jefferson av.

GIRL WANTED—A good, willing girl for general housework. Apply 2541 Washington.

GIRL WANTED—Girl, white or colored, to cook, wash and iron; references. 5148 Ridge av.

TYLER PLACE AUCTION

NEXT THURSDAY, 4 P. M.

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EXPORT PROTECTION.

EXPOTS TROUBLE AT JIM CRO- NIN'S SALOON.

POLITICS IN THE FIRST WARD.
Jim Butler Notifies Chief Harrigan That Cronin's Men-at-Arms Are Intimidating Committee.

Jim Butler called at the Four Courts Tuesday afternoon and asked Chief Harrigan to send a squad of police to Jim Cronin's saloon Tuesday night to preserve peace. Butler says that he and Eddie Morrissey stole a march on the Cronin faction in securing the pledge of the precinct committee of the First Ward to support Morrissey. Cronin who is managing the campaign for Judge Harvey for the office of Mayor, learned of this and immediately called on Butler. According to Mr. Butler's story to Chief Harrigan, the latter started out to visit precinct committee who had announced themselves in favor of Butler. Butler says they first called on Charles S. Hogan at Second and Plum streets and then went to the saloon of Jim Cronin at 12th and Walnut streets. After he had signed the agreement to vote for Harvey and O'Donnell at the ward meeting, Cronin's men-at-arms, who were armed with revolvers, knocked him to the floor and then they went to the saloon of Jim Cronin at 12th and Walnut streets. After he had signed the agreement to vote for Harvey and O'Donnell at the ward meeting, Cronin's men-at-arms, who were armed with revolvers, knocked him to the floor and then they went to the saloon of Jim Cronin at 12th and Walnut streets. After he had signed the agreement to vote for Harvey and O'Donnell at the ward meeting, Cronin's men-at-arms, who were armed with revolvers, knocked him to the floor and then they went to the saloon of Jim Cronin at 12th and Walnut streets.

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COFFEE.

Reported by the Stanley & Kinsella Coffee and Spice Co.

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